

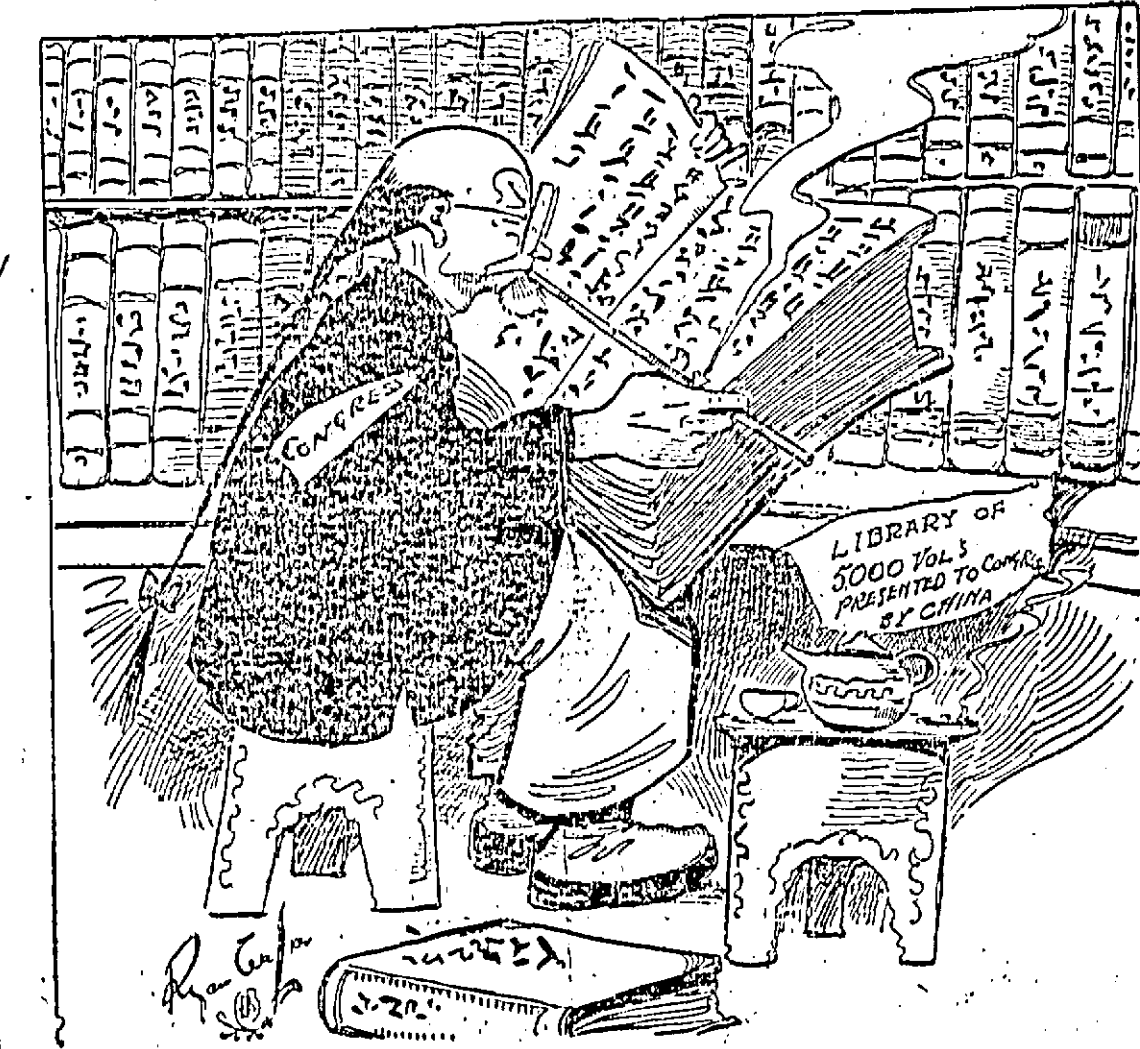
MADISON WAITS FOR CONTESTS

Talk Is Rife All Prepared For General Upheaval When Legislature Starts.

PROS AND CONS ARE DISCUSSED

Some Believe That All Will Be Peace And Others Think That The Battle Will Wage Most Merrily From Start To Finish.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
Madison, Wis., Jan. 9.—(This Senator La Follette arranged all his plans for his lieutenant capturing the control of the senate organization or has this plan been abandoned?)
These are the questions that many prominent republicans close to the Davidson administration are asking themselves today.
Senator La Follette has left for Washington and this is argued as a sign all has been decided one way or the other. It is war the plan of the campaign has been laid out and the democratic fusion will be a certainty.
On the other hand are the men known as La Follette leaders who disclaim any knowledge of any attempt to dictate the policy or organization of the legislature by the senator. They claim his business here was purely business in connection with his paper.
However, be as it is, the assembly is pretty certain to be governed by Assemblyman Cleary in the speaker's chair during the coming session. Cleary has by far the best of the content and is considered one of the best men in the field for the office.
It is expected that the republican caucus of the assembly called for early in the week will develop no strong opposition to Mr. Cleary's election and he will be selected without serious trouble when the proper time comes.
With the senate it is a doubtful question. John Stricker, a known La Follette supporter, is lieutenant governor and will preside over the deliberations of that body and the organization on a strong La Follette basis would preclude any important chairmanships being given to any members who did not answer the requirements.
Many believe that the talk of a factional fight is all without foundation.



If Congress reads all of the five thousand volumes just presented to that learned assembly by China, we may expect something like the above.

ROOSEVELT REBUKED FOR MESSAGE TO CONGRESS IN THE SPECIAL REPORT

Wisconsin Congressmen Among The Thirty-Five Who Thought To Aid Him--
Tawney's Speech on Subject.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
Washington, D. C., Jan. 9.—Congress has issued a rebuke to President Roosevelt. The report of the special committee to whom his message of January 4th was referred, made an adverse report and it was adopted by the lower house by a vote of 212 to 55. These thirty-five were all republicans and among them were Congressman Cooper, Jenkins, Kusterman and Nelson of Wisconsin. Aside from the report of Congressman Jenkins, the special committee's speeches were made by Congressman Tawney of Minnesota, W. L. Smith of Iowa, John J. Fitzgerald of Brooklyn, N. Y., and Swager Shorley of Kentucky, members of the committee which was directly attacked by the president in his message. Mr. Tawney as chairman of the committee, said:
"Mr. Tawney in presenting his views of the case declared that nothing could contribute so much to the destruction of the republic as an attempt upon the part of one branch of it to impeach the honor and integrity of another branch, however, that attempted impeachment may be sought, whether by attributing to the members of that other branch as a whole motive for conduct wholly inconsistent with honor, integrity and the faithful discharge of duty, or otherwise."
"The arbitrary and unauthorized use of the great power of any one of the great branches of the government in that respect," he said, "if allowed to pass unchallenged, would go further to undermine the confidence of the people in their government and the very foundation of the government than all agencies combined."
He said that when the executive deliberately charged, as he said was done in his message of Dec. 8, 1908, that the legislative branch in the exercise of its constitutional functions, passed legislation which "has been of benefit only to the criminal classes," and "if deliberately introduced for the purpose of diminishing the effectiveness of war against crime, it could not have been better devised to that end," there was clearly implied that in adopting the provision of which the president complained, the congress intended to benefit and protect from do-

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WHAT WILL BE ASKED FOR THE STATE INSTITUTIONS

Legislature Will Be Asked To Make Special Appropriations When It Convenes.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
Madison, Wis., Jan. 9.—The state board of control of Wisconsin charitable and penal institutions asks special appropriations from the next legislature aggregating \$691,700 in order to put the state institutions in first class condition. The board also wants about \$1,200,000 for the ordinary expenses of maintenance of the institutions, but the \$691,700 proposed is for special additions and improvements. The amounts asked for the several institutions are as follows:
State Insane Asylum, Mendota..... \$36,000
Northern Insane Asylum, Oshkosh..... 111,500
School for Deaf, Deleville..... 52,200
School for Blind, Janesville..... 8,800
Hoy's Industrial School, Waupun..... 67,200
Reformatory, Green Bay..... 58,000
Tuberculosis Sanatorium..... 40,800
Wales to segregate at..... 50,000
Total..... \$691,700
Much reconstruction is needed at the state asylum at Mendota, and the board desires the legislature to make provision for enlargement of institution to 1,000 capacity. A large building is asked for the asylum at Oshkosh so that the state's criminal inmates may be kept separate from other inmates. The report says the state school for blind has had a good year and needs little in the way of special appropriations. A new cement walk is needed, \$700; isolation, hospital, \$2,000; new roof for industrial building, \$500; repairs and porches, \$1,000; new books, \$500; new pianos, \$2,000 and new laundry machinery, \$1,000.
With respect to the operation of the state prison, the success of the new parole law of 1907 is commended. The prison at Waupun needs a larger prison yard necessitating an extension of the wall at a probable cost of \$70,000. For completing the blower of a factory \$40,000 is needed, \$70,000 for a new cell block, \$1,000 for equipping the women's prison, a total of \$144,000 for the prison.
The Wales sanatorium for tubercular patients is doing a good work but is small and the board wants an additional building so that the male and female patients may be kept separate.

PROSECUTION MAKES ITS POINTS TODAY

Hains Trial Again in Hands of Dayside Yacht Club Members
In Rebuttal.
[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
Flushing, N. Y., Jan. 9.—Several members of the Dayside Yacht club were called in rebuttal at the trial of Thornton Jenkins Hains today and declared with positiveness that James T. Thorne, the defense's eye witness of the tragedy, was not on the boat and had not been at the club house on August 15. All the club members declared Captain Hains appeared rational and showed no evidences of insanity.

FEELY WINS OUT IN IOWA'S FIGHT

Made Speaker of the Iowa House This Morning by Close Margin of Votes.
[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
Des Moines, Jan. 9.—Guy A. Feely of Waterloo was nominated for speaker of the Iowa house in caucus of all republican members here today. It is predicted the caucus action today means an end of factional fights in the state.

HARRY THAW MUST BE GIVEN A TRIAL

Is Entitled to Be Given Opportunity of Proving His Sanity Just at Present.
[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
Nyack, N. Y., Jan. 9.—Harry K. Thaw is entitled to a trial on the question whether he has recovered his sanity, according to Justice Thompson, who today heard arguments on a writ of habeas corpus obtained by his mother.

HARMONY MEETING HAS BEEN CALLED

Illinois Republicans Are to Get Together for General Love Feast Soon.
[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
Springfield, Ill., Jan. 9.—The republican state committee has been called to meet here next Tuesday morning to take some action along party lines relative to the proposed contest on the governorship and breaking of the deadlock that has existed between the house and senate since Thursday.

TAFT ATTENDS BIG SOUTHERN MEETING

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
Augusta, Ga., Jan. 9.—An all-day southern barbecue engaged the attention of the president-elect today to the exclusion of nearly all other matters. Judge Taft was the guest of the Beech Island Farmers' Club.

NEWS FORECAST FOR THE WEEK TO COME

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
Washington, D. C., Jan. 9.—The presidential electors will meet Monday in the capitals of the various states to cast their ballots for president and vice president and to choose messengers to carry the votes to Washington, where the official count will take place in February before the two houses of Congress assembled in joint session.
President-elect Taft will spend Friday and Saturday in Atlanta, where elaborate arrangements are being made for his reception and entertainment.
The ships of the Atlantic fleet, homeward bound on their cruise around the world, will scatter during the week for brief visits at Naples, Genoa, Algiers, Athens and other Mediterranean ports.
The case of Patrick Cullum, president of the street railway company of San Francisco who is charged with bribery of public officials, is set for trial Monday.
The committee appointed by Gov. Hughes of New York to inquire into the business and methods of Wall street will meet Monday to take up the investigation of the affairs of the New York Produce Exchange and New York Cotton Exchange.
The Cuban Congress will convene Wednesday to scrutinize the vote in the recent presidential election. The regular sessions will not begin until after the inauguration of President Gomez on January 28.
The whole question of the sentence for contempt of court of Messrs. Gurners, Morrison and Mitchell of the American Federation of Labor will be threshed out at a meeting of the executive council of the federation, beginning in this city Monday.
Surgeon-General R. M. O'Reilly, who has been at the head of the medical department of the army since 1902, will be retired for age Thursday and will be succeeded by Colonel George W. Towner, now in charge of the general hospital at San Francisco.
The social event of the week will be the wedding of Miss Beatrice Mills and the Earl of Granard, which will take place Thursday at the New York home of the bride's parents.
During the week sessions of the legislature will begin in Wisconsin, Texas, South Carolina, Iowa, Colorado, Kansas, Oregon, Utah, Washington, West Virginia, Wyoming and Washington.
Governors and other state officials chosen in November will make office in Ohio, North Carolina, Kansas, Washington, Missouri, Colorado, New Hampshire and Illinois.
Mexico, Jan. 9.—The entire western coast of Mexico was shaken by an earthquake yesterday. The damage was trivial.
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SEATTLE WRESTLER COMER AS BOXER?

Dr. Roller, of Seattle Considered to Have Bright Future—Will Fight Kaufman Soon.
[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
Seattle, Wash., Jan. 9.—Will Dr. R. F. Roller, the Seattle wrestler, "make good" as a fighter? This is the question that is being asked and variously answered since Roller has been matched to fight Al Kaufman before the Jeffries club in Los Angeles toward the end of this month.
James J. Corbett, Bob Fitzsimmons and other pugilists stars who have boxed with Roller have expressed favorable opinions of his prowess and predict a bright future for him in the ring. Other competent judges do not hesitate to declare that the Seattle physician-athlete, with a marvel of physical development, will never get the world title as a pugilist. To prove these cases they point to the tried-and-true saying that a good wrestler never makes a good fighter. Perhaps, however, the fact that Roller has never developed into a champion mat artist may help him to defy the odds.

Dr. Roller is in the prime of vigor, one young manhood. Born in Illinois and educated at the medical school of the University of Pennsylvania, he came west after his graduation. His marvelous physique coupled with his natural love for athletic sports, led him to take part in amateur wrestling matches. In these amateur bouts he was favorably successful. Later he engaged in professional matches with a number of prominent wrestlers, among them Champion Frank Gotch. In these contests he made a good showing and gave promise of developing in time into a first class wrestler. Recently he has elevated his entire time to learning the fine points of the boxing game. As a sparring partner he has had "Denver Ed" Martin, the big negro fighter who has fought Jack Johnson and other big fellows and has learned by experience every angle of the boxing game.
If Roller masters the science of the game and possesses the requisite courage it is believed he may develop into a good fighter. He possesses all of the physical qualifications for a heavyweight champion. He weighs upwards of 200 pounds, is over six feet tall and possesses a wonderful foot reach. He has a hard punch and for a novice at the game he is said to be exceedingly shifty on his feet. His muscles are softer than his should be, but this is a defect easily remedied.

YOUNG GIRL KILLED DURING FEUD BATTLE

Williamstown, Kentucky, Scene of Bitter Fighting on the Streets This Morning.
[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
Williamstown, Ky., Jan. 9.—Miss Ethel Ransom, aged 25, was shot and killed and six other persons injured, two probably fatally, as a result of a feud fight on the street here early today between members of the Lanier and Ransom families.

PREVENTED ROBBERY; CAPTURE THE THIEF

Operator in Marinette Station Sees Thief at His Work and Catch Him After Chase.
[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
Marinette, Wis., Jan. 9.—A bold attempt to rob the ticket office of the St. Paul road was prevented and the would-be robber captured last night due to the courage and presence of mind of the operator, F. Noonan, a young man 18 years of age.
A man entered the waiting room and began to pry open the ticket window. Noonan rushed out after him and the would-be robber fled. Noonan continued the chase and finally captured the man. The prisoner gave his name as E. Diddle and his home as Winneconne.

18 CONVENTIONS IN THE NEXT 2 WEEKS

Farmer's Union Throughout United States Will Hold State Meetings—Oklahoma First.
[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
New Orleans, La., Jan. 9.—During the next two weeks state meetings of the National Farmer's Union are to be held in eighteen states, beginning today with a meeting in Oklahoma. The national executive committee has to maintain a plan to hold one million acres of cotton in hand. The various state meetings are asked to rally this plan and take effective operation. When this is done the National Farmer's Union shall have accomplished what no other organization has ever been able to do—that is, it will have the cotton situation of the United States well in hand and under the most thorough control.
The public, especially in the South and Southwest, has heard much of the Farmer's Union during the past few years. It is predicted that more organization will attract much more attention in the near future, and it has not the cotton situation well in hand it seems to turn its attention to the control of other products of the soil.

History does not record a more phenomenal growth than that of the Farmer's Union, born in Texas less than a decade ago, and beginning operations with a membership of ten persons. It has today an active membership of more than 1,000,000, covering every Southern State and spreading into a number of states in the far West. Strong state organizations now exist in Oklahoma, Mississippi, Arkansas, South Carolina, North Carolina, Florida, Missouri, Illinois, Kansas, Colorado, California, Oregon, Washington and Kentucky.
The organization already has accomplished substantial results through the careful education of its members, and its power and influence are constantly increasing. It is believed that within a brief period it will be able to control the marketing of all agricultural products and largely eliminate the middleman from the situation, enabling the farmer instead of the speculator to step in and control the markets.
The union was organized in Kansas county, Texas, in 1902, and the first headquarters were established at Emory, Texas. They were subsequently moved to Greenville and later located at Dallas. A few weeks ago the executive committee decided to make New Orleans the permanent headquarters of the association. From this city, therefore, the campaign for the control of the cotton crop will be directed during the next few months. The executive committee reports that the cotton crop of the next year will be held off of the market by the members, and that pledges have been received for thousands of bales of cotton to be held. The chief feature of the scheme for holding the crop lies in the federation of warehouses, which plan has been in successful operation in Mississippi during the past year and has likewise been introduced in Texas and other states.

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SKULL CRUSHED BY TWO LOGS MEETING

Prominent Business Man Has Peculiar and Possibly Fatal Accident This Morning.
[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
Chippewa Falls, Wis., Jan. 9.—E. L. Hawn, president of the Italy Lumber Co., and a member of the county board, is in a critical condition as a result of getting his skull squeezed between two logs while supervising work on a railway. His skull was fractured and one side of his face paralyzed.

CONSECRATION WILL BE HELD FOR VICAR

Elaborate Arrangements Have Been Made for Consecration of Vicar-General Owen B. Corrigan.
[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
Baltimore, Md., Jan. 9.—Elaborate arrangements have been made for the consecration tomorrow of Vicar-General Owen B. Corrigan, pastor of St. Gregory's church in this city, as titular bishop of Macra. The consecration will take place in the Baltimore Cathedral. Cardinal Gibbons will preside and will be assisted by a number of distinguished prelates and priests of Baltimore and other cities.
As titular bishop of Macra, Father Corrigan will become auxiliary bishop of the Baltimore archdiocese. The new bishop is a native of Baltimore, having been born in St. Vincent's parish in 1819. He received his classical education at St. Charles' College, Ellicott City, and was ordained a priest by Cardinal Patrizi at Rome in 1873.

HOUSE STILL MAKES THE FUR FLY AGAIN

Has Not Let Up on Roosevelt and His Secret Service Measures—Senate Also Belligerent.
[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
Washington, D. C., Jan. 9.—That the house of representatives does not intend to stop with its action of yesterday in rebuking the president was evidenced today when at the instance of Tawney of Minnesota, and without a dissenting vote, it adopted a sweeping resolution of inquiry into the money year for detective frauds and efforts made by the president and his secret service measures.
In the Senate.
Acting Chairman Hale of the senate committee on appropriations today appointed Gallinger, Hemenway and Clay as a subcommittee to consider Roosevelt's reference to congress in a portion of his annual message which deals with secret service.

CHURCHES WILL END GAMBLING AT RACES

Texas Churches and Reform Organization Declare Practice Must Be Stopped.
[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
Dallas, Texas, Jan. 9.—Race track gambling in Texas must end, according to the decree of the churches and reform organizations throughout the state. Strongly worded protests against the holding of race meetings in connection with the state and county fairs have been circulated broadcast and these will be followed up tomorrow with sermons against race track gambling from hundreds of pulpits. It is hinted that if the reformers are successful in their fight against the gambling evil they will immediately begin a crusade against Sunday theaters and Sunday baseball.

SENATORS' TRIBUTES TO SENATOR PROCTOR

Were Paid in Upper House Today—Many Splendid Eulogies to Former Member.
Washington, D. C., Jan. 9.—The senate today paid to the memory of the late Redfield Proctor, who was a member of the upper house for seven years, splendid eulogies of the life and career of the Vermont statesman and warrior of the Vermont statesman. At the conclusion of the ceremonies the senate as a further mark of respect adjourned.

NIGHT RIDERS MUST PAY THE PENALTIES

Six Given Death Sentences and Two Go to Prison for Life—Cases (By Associated Press.)
Union City, Tenn., Jan. 9.—Six night riders were sentenced to hang on Feb. 19 and two were given life sentences in the penitentiary today. Attorneys for the defense immediately gave notice of an appeal to the state supreme court.

PROMINENT MAN IS KILLED IN A WRECK

Auto Accident Fatal to One—Two Others Were Badly Injured in Smash-Up.
[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
Flushing, L. I., Jan. 9.—Edward C. Mallman, a prominent real estate broker, was killed and Miss Jeanette McKim and Frank Brennan, chauffeur, were both badly injured in an automobile accident early today.

MUST BE PUNISHED FOR BRUTAL MURDER

Late Candidate for President Refused Pardon by State Board of Pardons.
[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
Carson, Nev., Jan. 9.—M. R. Preston, nominee for president on the Social-Labor ticket last summer, and convicted of murder, has been denied a pardon by the board of pardons.

SOCIAL LEADER IS MADE THE DEFENDANT

Man Who Claims Breach of Promise Wants \$150,000 for Wounded Affections.
Chicago, Jan. 9.—That a suit for a hundred and fifty thousand dollars alleging a breach of promise had been filed here by Dr. J. Stanley Deora, York against Mrs. Jeanette Deora, Chapman, of Moline, Ill., and Chicago, a social leader in this country and abroad, was made public today.

NORTH DAKOTA HOME DESTROYED BY FIRE

Three Young Girls Died in the Flames—Fourth Will Recover.
[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
Dickinson, N. D., Jan. 9.—Fire yesterday destroyed the home of Joseph Kohl, a homesteader living 12 miles from here. Four young girls were alone in the house and three of them were burned to death. The fourth will recover. The parents are left destitute as well as children.

SUPREME COURT HAS AFFIRMED DECISION

Kansas State Court Says Fine Against International Harvester Co. Is Right—They Will Appeal.
Topeka, Kan., Jan. 9.—The Kansas supreme court in a decision handed down today affirmed the verdict and fine of the district court against the International Harvester company. The company must pay a fine of \$12,500 on forty-two counts, each count charging violation of the Kansas anti-trust law. It is certain the case will be appealed to the United States supreme court.

FIND HORSEMAN IS GUILTY OF BRIBERY

Is Found Guilty of Having Bribed a Jury in Important Case Recently.
[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
Lafayette, Ind., Jan. 9.—Wm. H. Bell, a well known horseman, was today found guilty of jury bribing.
Thief Despatched: Sheriff Schelbel left on the 12:45 train with Harry Shon, the thief who was sentenced to Waupun in this city night before last for way-laying Aleck Stamper, colored, in the alley back of McNamara's hardware store.
Surprise Party: Last evening at his home on Terrace street, Louis Mre was pleasantly surprised by about twenty-five of his friends. A most delicious supper was enjoyed after which the evening was spent with music and games.

POULTRY EXHIBIT, MOST SUCCESSFUL

FINE DISPLAY OF CHICKENS AND
PET STOCK SHOWN.

CLOSES AT TEN TONIGHT

First Annual Meeting of Chicken Men
Has Shown Possibilities
for Future.

This evening at ten o'clock the first annual exhibition of the Southern Wisconsin Poultry and Pet Stock association will officially close. While it has not been a success from a financial point of view, in way of display it has shown great possibilities for future shows and deserves all the support the citizens can give it. The exhibition has been a most complete one and with the few hours remaining for the show to be open it should be visited by many who have not found time before to do so.

"Notice how the ladies are all near the cages where the Silver-Spangled Hamburgs are confined," said Director George Hatch of the Poultry Association while in an observant mood today. "That is because there is no prettier bird than this same spangled Hamburg, and the ladies are always attracted by the beautiful side of anything."

Another particular feature worth noting at the show this week is the excellent many meat owned by Byron Jones of this city.

A curiosity on view is the "frank egg" laid by a Wyandotte belonging to Charles Reichert of this city. It is not oval—it is shaped much like a gourd. It is one of the unexplained things of nature.

President McVicar announced today that exhibitors may set their birds again tomorrow if they do not care to wait until the Sabbath is over.

The wind-up of the show was marked by the election caused by special premiums. These premiums were awarded as follows:

Barred Plymouth Rocks.
H. S. Cockerill—best white, T. R. Costigan—B. N. Froendall.

H. S. Pullet—Profitable Poultry 1 year—W. G. Reynolds.
White Plymouth Rocks.
H. S. Pullet—1 ham, Taylor Bros.—O. R. Ashcraft.

H. S. Male—25 New Leader Adjustable log bands, Keyes-Davis Co., Battle Creek, Mich.—Albert Nott.
Buff Plymouth Rocks.
H. S. Hen—\$1.00 cash, Mrs. Edw. Park—Rose Morton.

H. S. Male—Successful Poultry Journal 1 year—Rose Morton.
White Wyandottes.
Best Trio—\$3.00 cash, Levi Case—F. H. Green & Son.

Best Cockerill—1 lb. roast, John Yahn—F. H. Green & Son.
Buff Wyandottes.
H. S. Cock—1 best white, Frank Sadler—Leonard Knudson.

Best Pen—1 carriage heater, Hasselt-Kehlin Co.—Geo. A. Miller.
Partridge Wyandottes.
H. S. Male—1 bu. wheat, P. D. Murdock—Leonard Knudson.

Silver Laced Wyandottes.
H. S. Female—1 bu. corn, W. T. Flaherty—Jno. Schuler.

H. S. Cockerill—\$2.50 cash, Sheldon Hartman Co.—S. I. Toy.
H. S. Pullet—Successful Poultry Journal 1 year—Leonard Knudson.

S. C. Rhode Island Reds.
Largest Display—1 box cigars, Thos. Sigel—F. H. Kopp.
Best Cockerill—Two Pullets, 1 pen—Hook, Prof. Buell—F. H. Kopp.

R. C. Rhode Island Reds.
H. S. Female—Profitable Poultry 1 year—C. F. Barker.
Best Pen—1 box cigars, Henry Casey—Marshall Day.

S. C. Buff Orpingtons.
H. S. Cock—1 pair, Douglas, Brown Bros.—Alex. Buchanan.
Best Pullet—25 New Leader adjustable log bands, Keyes-Davis Co.—Alex. Buchanan.

Black Orpingtons.
H. S. Pen—1 box cigars, Löffelwell & Hockett—J. M. McVicar.
Best Pullet—1 pair, pipe, Connell's Cigar Store—J. M. McVicar.

Silver Gray Dorkings.
Largest Exhibit—10 pairs 100 Ivory song, H. S. Johnson—C. E. Hemmelen.
Partridge Cocksins.
Best Pair—1 pair, brush, McVicar & Buss—Stewart Mount.

Black Langshans.
Best Pullet—1 box cigars, Dun cigars, Thos. P. Malcom—Wm. McVicar.
Best Male—Profitable Poultry 1 year—Wm. McVicar.

S. C. Brown Leghorns.
Best Pen—Shady's ticket, William Hough—F. C. Miller.
Best Pullet—Profitable Poultry 1 yr.—Geo. F. Clarke.

R. C. Brown Leghorns.
Best Cockerill—Successful Poultry Journal 1 year—F. Nowell.
S. C. White Leghorns.
Best Pen—A fine bust, W. J. Skelly—F. H. Drexler.

Best Cockerill—Profitable Poultry 1 year—H. S. Johnson.
Best Pullet—1 box cigars, Norman Duggs—Ivona Roberts.

S. C. Buff Leghorns.
H. S. Cockerill—25 New Leader adjustable log bands, Keyes-Davis Co.—H. L. Hoff.

S. C. Black Minorcas.
Best Pen—1 box 50 cigars, H. S. Thumetz—A. Knyo.
Best Cockerill—Profitable Poultry 1 year—Roy Pearson.

Silver Spangled Hamburgs.
Best Pen—1 box cigars, James Short—Geo. Kell.
Best Cockerill—1 box candy, J. L. House—Geo. Kell.

Houdans.
Best Trio—1 miniature set, W. T. Short—Chas. Riker.
Best Pullet—Profitable Poultry 1 yr.—Chas. Riker.

R. C. Black Minorcas.
Best Pen—1 post, J. Cement Post Co.—C. F. Jordan.
Best Cock—1 box cigars, O. E. Moyer—P. Tyrrell.

Bantams.
Largest Entry—1 box cigars, Wm. Long—Wm. McVicar.
H. S. Any Variety—\$1.00, T. J. McKelvey—John Kely.

Water Fowl.
Largest Entry—1 box cigars, Leo Kestor—Carroll H. West.
2nd Largest Entry—Profitable Poultry 1 year—D. L. Hull.

Highest Scoring Solid Colored Poultry—25 New Leader adjustable log bands, Keyes-Davis Co.—Carroll H. West.

REALITY OR JOKE IT WAS POOR FUN

Watch Who Has Got My Watch, Asked
a Professor and Then He Found It
on His Desk.

Smacking of the realm of Russia or the methods of the wizard of all detectives, Sherlock Holmes and his able adjunct Scotland Yard, a certain professor in the high school yesterday made a minute examination of the contents of the pockets of several young men members of one of his classes in an endeavor to solve what may be termed as the Lost Button Joke.

As the result of the joke some of the members of the class are highly indignant at being forced to reveal the contents of their pockets. The occurrence almost became the sensation of the hour. "During Robbery Committed by High School Boys," might have been the headline to describe what the incident seemed to be. The pupils spoke of it in hushed whispers (because it is against the rules to talk during school hours).

It was all over a joke which a practical joker played on a Professor. It was called from the room during one of his afternoon classes and left his watch lying upon his table. When he returned the watch was missing and the professor was greatly influenced to think he had been the victim of a bold robber. With a brilliant detective thought he set about to discover the guilty one in the most astute manner. The thief should be discovered, and punished. No one should leave the room until all had been searched. So each of the boys marched up and before the eyes of the instructor, laid bare to the eyes of the class those delectable things which boys' pockets contain. Straps, pocket knives, ranging from the dainty pen knives to those monstrous affairs with which the murderer of the late Catharine, or from a completed, and other trinkets were brought forth from secret crannies in the pockets. But the inspection the police.

Under the smiling face of one of these noble youths lurked the thoughts and cleverness of an amateur thief. Finally, however, in some manner the secret leaked out. The professor in moving some of the papers, was delighted and astonished to find there his beloved timepiece.

Another scandal that is stirring the school is the expulsion of one of the Sophomore youths whose inquisitive nature led him to tap with his fingernail on a pipe in the upstairs toilet room which some person with no regard for public property had scraped thin with a knife. The partition was thin and the water gushed forth but the boy reported it to the janitor immediately so that the amount of water which came out was not sufficient to flood the building. Professor Buell has expelled him from school.

LOCAL PARAGRAPHS.

Committee Meeting: County Committee No. 14 is in session today in the county clerk's office checking up the accounts of Boardmaster Kanyon. The members comprise H. D. Trondway of Bristol, J. C. McVoy and Thomas E. Ford of Porter.

Sunday Meeting: Prof. H. C. Buell will be the leader at tomorrow's Young Men's meeting in Y. M. C. A. auditorium. He speaks on "Christianity's Relation to the World." Special music will be rendered by the male quartette. All young men living in town or out of town, members and non-members, are invited to attend free of charge.

Skating Last Night: Quite a number of the young people availed themselves of the fine weather and the clearness of the night by spending a few hours on the ice. The ice is pretty well frozen and the skating very good.

Triumph Camp No. 4084, Royal Neighbors of America, will meet in regular session Monday evening at 8 o'clock, in the Spanish-American hall. Let every member be present to make preparations for installations, Anna Muse, Oracle; Alvin H. Murdock, Recd.

Fund Augmented: Eight dollars was added today to the \$140 already subscribed for the Italian quake and fire refugees. The benefactors today were: Boardmaster Charles Valentine, \$5 at Home City Bank; Chris Johnson, \$1, and P. A. Cupello, \$2, at First National Bank. The St. Mary's church fund of \$22 has been sent to Milwaukee this past week.

Served His Route: Rural Mail Carrier Hill of route No. 4 says that he served his route as usual on Wednesday despite the cold and that it is a mistake that he did not as was reported by a country correspondent.

Not Henry Bull: It was Ore Not Henry Bull who was injured at the Garfield school yesterday morning. Ore was reported better this morning. He is a son of Henry Bull who is employed at the State Institute for the Blind.

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GAELS ARE TO HAVE A BIG CONVENTION

New York is to be Meeting Place of
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Societies.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
New York, Jan. 8.—Preparations have been completed for a convention of the Eastern Gaelic League to be held in this city tomorrow. All existing Gaelic schools and societies east of the Mississippi have been invited to participate in the meeting. Representation will be direct from the societies and the basis of representation will be three delegates to each and three delegates at large to every organized State or district league.

To strengthen and extend the organization, to bring about closer cohesion, unity of action and a spirit of fellowship among those who have the Gaelic cause at heart, are the aims of the convention, which will also adopt a programme for future action and elect officers for the ensuing year.

COLLEGE TRAINING FOR
THE WISCONSIN FARMERS

Farmers' Courses at State University
and County Agricultural
Schools.

The two weeks' farmers' course at the University of Wisconsin college of agriculture Feb. 9-19 is to be of unusual interest. "Conservation of Farm Resources" will be the principal subject considered, and the lectures on soils, fertility, and crop and animal products will emphasize this phase of agriculture. The college will be able to accommodate the expected increase in enrollment, further facilities being afforded in the new livestock pavilion which will be ready for use Feb. 1.

The success of the one-week farmers' course in Winnebago and Marathon counties last year has influenced each of the four county agricultural and domestic science high schools at Menomonie, Waupun, Winneconne, and Marinette, to offer courses this winter. These are planned in cooperation with the college of agriculture, and members of the faculty of the college will assist in giving instruction in the county courses. In the development of the farmers' course work, it will be manifestly impossible for the college to meet the growing needs, and only by the establishment of these sectional courses can all of the farmers of the state be accommodated. Those who can attend the two weeks' course at the university are being urged by the college authorities to do so, while those who cannot be absent from home so long a time are being urged to attend a county meeting. Detailed programs of the courses at Madison and in each of the county schools are in preparation.

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Another Drunk: Grizzled of countenance, sandy hair growing in curls, and over his unkempt face and head, Gilbert Olson was apprehended by Constable Phil Welch of Edgerton in that city and, upon being sentenced by Police Justice J. H. Smith to ten days in Rock County jail, was brought to this city by Officer Welch late yesterday afternoon.

Y. M. C. A.
AUDITORIUM
Wednesday
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at 8 p. m.

CONCERT
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Mme.
Fausta Marillac
And Her Concert
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Only appearance in this
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FRIDAY, JANUARY 15th
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By BOOTH TARKINGTON and
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SPECIAL NOTE—This is the one and only company Liebler & Co. have on tour in this

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Prices, \$1.50, \$1.00, 75c, 50c and 25c.

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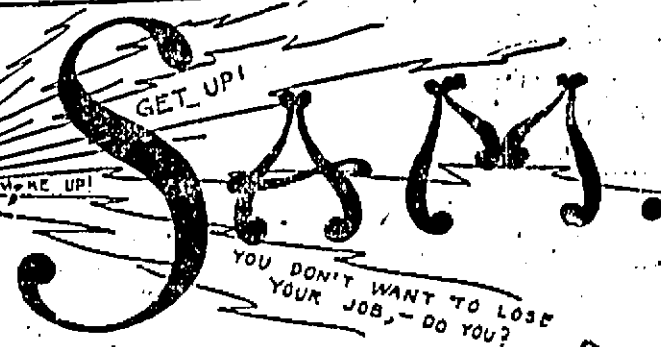
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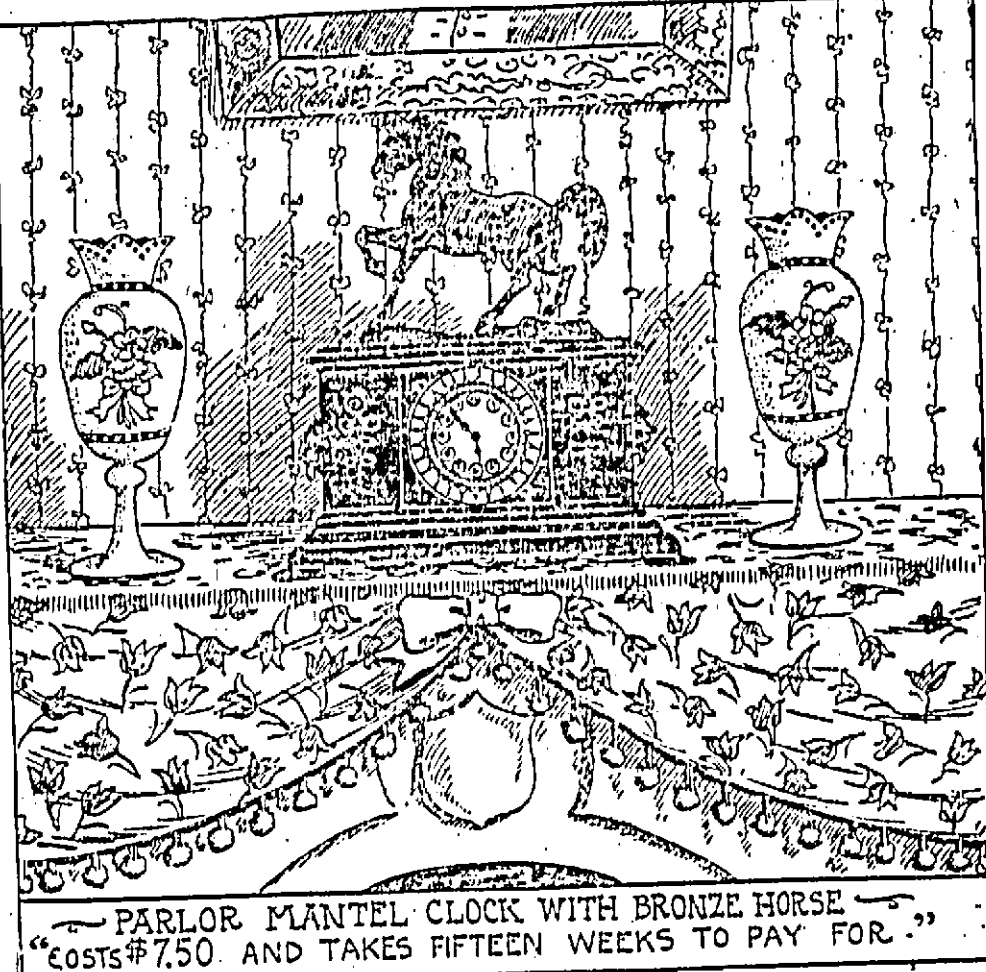
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HANDS TRAVEL
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EVERY YEAR

Composite Journey
Full 225,000,000
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Eternity.



PARLOR MANTEL CLOCK WITH BRONZE HORSE
"COSTS \$7.50 AND TAKES FIFTEEN WEEKS TO PAY FOR."

ONE BIG ALARM!

WELL, WHAT?

ITS BELL HEARD
SEVERAL TIMES
AROUND WORLD

If Ticking in Chicago
It Could Be Heard
As Far As New
Orleans.



THE CUCKOO CLK.

"HOW many clocks have you in your home?" asked Statistical Sam of the members of the kitchen cabinet.

The replies indicated an average of three to a family.

"All right, then," said Statistical Sam; "with three clocks to a family, the measuring unit becomes an easy one."

"The average diameter of dial of the parlor, the dining room, and the alarm clock is slightly under six inches. There are 45,000,000 clocks in the homes of the United States. The big hands of the 45,000,000 clocks with their twenty-four revolu-

tions, and the little hands with their two revolutions, daily, combined, represent in their travels a covered distance of almost 3,000 miles; or about 3,000,000 miles a year.

"The ordinary dollar alarm clock is guaranteed for one year. The parlor clock may or may not run, but the good, old-fashioned wall clock of the dining room may be depended upon to pull up the average running life of a clock to five years. That means that the clocks of the United States, succeeding one another in natural terms of existence, would last out 225,000,000 years of eternity.

"Counting that it takes one minute to wind one clock, seven windings a week for the alarm clock and one winding a week for the dining room and parlor clocks, respectively, these nine minutes so spent represent in

aggregate a period of close to 350 years, which length of time it would require to wind one big clock made up of the 45,000,000 clocks of the United States.

"Of the seventy-two catalogued clocks of one of the largest mail-order houses in America the average price is \$4.50. Allowing two such priced clocks and a dollar alarm clock to each family, and there are \$150,000,000 worth of household clocks in the United States; and that is not counting the watches, hall clocks, nor any other form of timepiece.

"To show you that my estimate is conservative, let me call your attention to the parlor mantel clock with the bronze horse. Everybody knows that alone costs \$7.50 and takes fifteen weeks to pay for. Just think, how many tobacco pipes or tin snips it takes to get that

'premium clock' that is always hanging to be set by the postman, the train, the church bell or the 'first whistle'.

"For my part I much prefer the old-fashioned clock that never gets out of order; the hour-glass, the sundial, the noon-mark on the kitchen floor—yes, even the good old-fashioned four-o'clocks that mother used to plant. In fact, nature alone has provided many clocks, that those who know how may tell the time. And there are in the country many who can really sense the time of night by the odor of the honeysuckle.

"Professors of acoustics teach that the report of one cannon may be heard as far off as the combined report of many of its kind. If that is the case, the 45,000,000 alarm clocks of the United States, if all set off at once, could be heard no further away

than could be one. But, if all the alarm clocks in America were made into one proportionately big one, the sound waves of its bell would travel several times around the world, and its tick be heard from Chicago to New Orleans.

"The hall clock of our forefathers was considered an essential article of house-furnishing as the kitchen cupboard. And at the present day there are men who make a living buying and selling these ancient relics of the past, the most prized of which is that made almost entirely of wood.

"The cuckoo clock with its metal pine-cone weights is another good old stand-by. Who can forget, when as a child, he waited to watch the little door fly open and the little cuckoo pop out and call the hour? I used to do it. So did you!"

TODAY'S CHICAGO MARKETS.

(SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.)
Chicago, Jan. 9.

Cattle
Cattle receipts, 400.
Market, steady.
Beef, 4.00@4.50.
Texas, 3.90@4.00.
Western, 4.00@4.50.
Stocks and feeders, 2.85@4.00.
Cows and heifers, 1.75@2.15.
Calves, 7.50@8.50.

Hogs
Hog receipts, estimated 18,000.
Market, 5c lower.
Light, 6.40@6.10.
Mixed, 6.05@6.25.
Heavy, 5.70@5.90.
Rough, 5.70@5.85.
Good to choice heavy, 5.85@6.30.
Pigs, 4.50@5.50.
Bulk of sales, 5.80@6.15.

Sheep
Sheep receipts, 2,000.
Market, steady.
Native, 3.10@3.75.
Western, 3.15@3.85.
Yearling, 6.00@7.25.
Lamb, 5.00@8.10.
Western lamb, 5.00@8.00.

Wheat
May—Opening, 1.07 1/2@%; high, 1.07 3/4@%; low, 1.06 1/2@%; closing, 1.06 3/4@% asked.
July—Opening, 98 1/2@%; high, 98 3/4@%; low, 97 1/2@%; closing, 98 asked.
Sept.—Opening, 91 1/2@%; high, 91 3/4@%; low, 91 1/4@%; closing, 91 1/2@% normal.

Rye
Closing—75.
May—78 1/2.

Barley
Closing—63@68.

Corn
May—61 1/2@%.
July—61 1/2.
Sept.—61 1/2.
Jan.—57 1/2.

Oats
May—61 1/2.
July—61 1/2.
Sept.—59 1/2.

Poultry
Turkeys—16.
Springers—14 1/2.
Chickens—13.

Butter
Creamery—22@23.
Dairy—21 1/2@27.

Eggs
Eggs—30.

Live Stock
Chicago, Jan. 8.

CATTLE—Good to fancy steers, \$10.50@12.00; medium to good steers, \$8.50@10.50; common to fair steers, \$6.50@8.50; native yearlings, \$5.50@7.50; plain to fancy cows, \$3.50@5.50; fair to fancy heifers, \$3.00@5.00; common to choice stockers, \$2.50@4.50; common to choice feeders, \$3.50@5.50; good cutting to choice feeders, \$2.50@4.50; canners, \$1.50@2.50; bulls, good to choice, \$3.00@5.00; bologna bulls, \$3.00@3.75; calves, \$3.00@5.00.

HOGS—Prime to heavy butchers, \$6.15@6.50; choice light-weight butchers, \$5.85@6.25; choice light, \$5.50@5.85; good to choice heavy packing, \$5.00@5.50; rough heavy hogs and coarse stags, \$3.50@5.50; pigs, \$4.00@5.00.

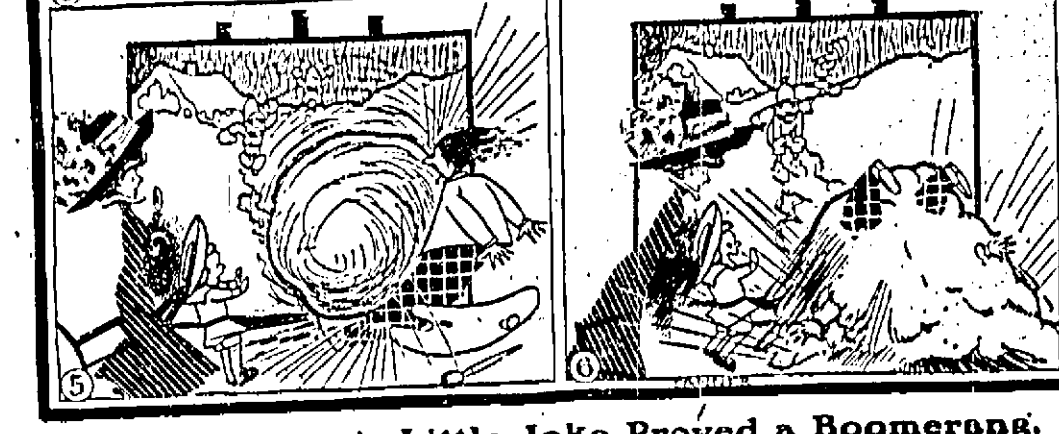
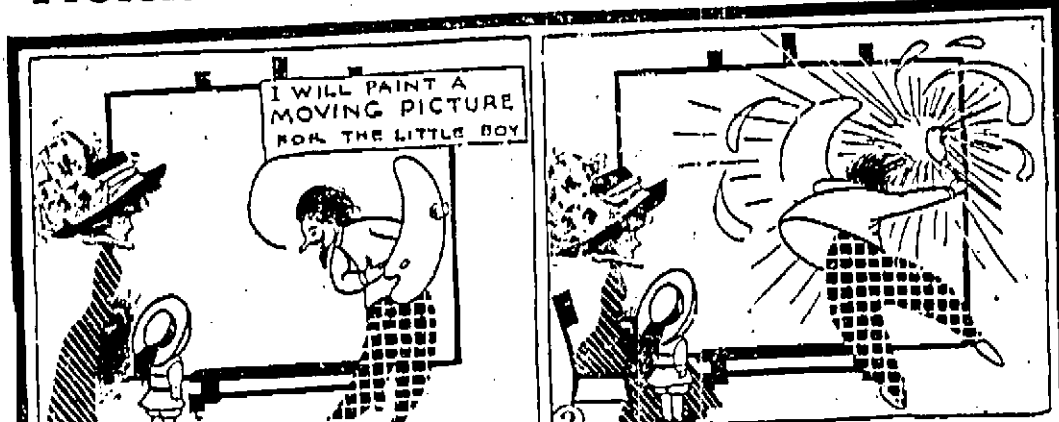
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Janesville, Wis., Jan. 6.
Feed.
New Bar Corn—\$13@14.50 per ton.

RIPPLES OF MIRTH

GEORGE. AND HE TRY'S SO HARD TO PLEASE HER



Professor Daubo and His Realistic Painting.

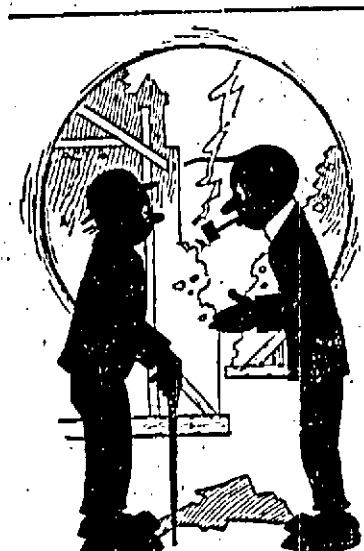


The Professor's Little Joke Proved a Boomerang.



PUTTING HIM WISE.

Henry—Yes, really, while I was in New York I spent much of my time in the subway and the river tunnels. Big boys always interest me, you know.
Peggy (glancing at clock)—Well—big boys don't interest me.



IT WASN'T BECAUSABLE.

"I've withdrawn the big snowstorm scene from our play."
"Why did you?"
"Because the audience can see a better one outside."



MANY OF THEM.

First Hobo—Dis' California railroad advertisement dat there are mostly lovely tramps along its lines.
Second Hobo—Lovely tramp! I reckon there is. I spent last winter there myself.

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GAZETTE DECEMBER CIRCULATION
Sworn statement of the Daily and Semi-Weekly Gazette, for December, 1908.
DAILY.
Days, Copies, Days, Copies.
1, 4751, 17, 4748.
2, 4752, 18, 4747.
3, 4742.
4, 4730, 19, 4785.
5, 4733, 20, Sunday, 4753.
6, Sunday, 21, 4753.
7, 4732, 22, 4752.
8, 4731, 23, 4762.
9, 4732, 24, 4765.
10, 4748, 25, Holiday.
11, 4750, 26, 4763.
12, 4751, 27, Sunday, 4778.
13, Sunday, 28, 4778.
14, 4744, 29, 4775.
15, 4744, 30, 5001.
16, 4742, 31, 5001.
Total for month, 123,786.
123,786 divided by 30, total number of issues, 4791 Daily average.
SEMI-WEEKLY.
Days, Copies, Days, Copies.
1, 1847, 19, 1830.
2, 1848, 20, 1830.
3, 1849, 21, 1830.
4, 1850, 22, 1848.
5, 1851, 23, 1848.
Total for month, 16,505.
16,505 divided by 5, total number of issues, 3301 Semi-Weekly average.
This is a correct report of the circulation of the Janesville Daily and Semi-Weekly Gazette for December, 1908, and represents the actual number of papers printed and circulated.
H. H. BLISS,
Publisher.
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H. H. BLISS,
Publisher.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4th day of January, 1909.

GILBERT P. MILLER,
Notary Public.

My commission expires July 14, 1909.

OUR SATURDAY NIGHT

A lawyer, writing in the November "American Magazine," says:

"Socialists are agitating for an eight-hour day, 'Eight hours for work, eight hours for sleep, eight hours to do what we will.' I wish I had an eight-hour day. I really do. I don't have more than a couple of eight-hour Sundays in the course of the year, let alone an eight-hour week-day. I wish I didn't have to plan and plot, intrigue and scheme, in a legitimate way, of course, from ten a. m. until about midnight. I wish I were certain of receiving so much per. I wish I did not have to associate with any number of individuals whom privately I detest, just because they happen to be good clients. I wish I could go home once in a while feeling that my brain had not been converted into a state over which a sponge had been passed. I wish that my sensibilities were blunted so that I could behold the glaring discrepancies which are daily offered to eye and ear without an internal shudder. I wish— But, oh, what's the use?"

"Consider also the clergyman, often the only cultured man in the village, living on \$500 per year, with an occasional donation party thrown in. One of them was telling me last week how, at the request of a deacon of the church, he had signed a petition that the letter-carrier's pay be increased. 'It was pretty hard work to remain silent,' he said, 'when I was told by the very individual whose hands me a quarterly check for \$150 that it was impossible for a man to get along on \$500 per year.' But a clergyman possesses this advantage, that he can count on a certain income, whereas physicians and lawyers oscillate between periods of 'flushness' and financial depression, never knowing exactly where they are at."

This tells the story of the great army of independent, toilers who work, not by the clock, but by the demands of circumstances and environments—the hardest taskmasters yet discovered.

The leaders of the labor unions of New York city held a meeting, the other day, and fixed the wage scale for \$1000. Skilled mechanics of various kinds are to be paid from \$4 to \$5 a day, and these demands will be met, while thousands of equally skillful men are idle, because they do not carry a union card.

While these conditions prevail, in the large centers of population, it is well to remember that the average men and women of this country are toilers and that they represent more than 40,000,000 of the population, while less than 5 per cent of the number are enrolled as members of organized labor.

Six and a quarter million of these toilers are farmers whose time and land is the sun, and about the same number of hard-working women provide in their homes, whose work is never done.

The "hired man" on the farm is also a large representative of open-shop labor, and while he may occasionally assert independence, when he becomes a time-server, his services are no longer in demand.

One of the most foolish things for which our idolized president is responsible, is the establishment of an eight-hour workday for government employees. Foolish for two or three reasons. It establishes a precedent which results in friction because so impractical, and what is worse de-

stroy ambition, which is the main-spring of action.

The boy who is educated to work by the clock, whether in government or private employ, is as sure to become a time-server, as time is to advance. He may be a good time-server; so is a machine; but machine men are never in demand for positions of trust and responsibility and the men who got to the front seldom carry a union card.

The ambition of every man, however humble his position, should be to better his condition. This can only be done by forgetting self and the clock, and permitting his work to absorb him that all else is forgotten. This is not possible when the government, or any other organization, restricts the hours of labor, or the output of hand and brain.

R. W. King, an old Janesville man, is superintendent of a postal district in the city of Brooklyn, with quite a force of carriers under him. These men were content with their day's work, which required from 8 1/2 to 9 hours, and the service was satisfactory to their patrons, but when the eight-hour day was established, some two years ago, both men and service were demoralized.

When 5 o'clock came, these men were obliged to abandon their route, and return the mail to the office which might have been delivered within the next half hour; a fine scheme for the government.

How long can a young man with any ambition afford to work for this kind of an employer? Just long enough to find another job, for the knowledge he is acquiring isn't worth a hoot and he could earn more money with less travel by following a plow, and in due process of time might become a farmer, rather than a pensioner.

When the government building was in process of construction in Chicago, it was noticed that a few minutes before 5 o'clock the men at the top commenced to climb down the ladders, and when the whistle blew every last man had his coat on and ready to leave. That's time service, pure and simple, demanded by organized labor, and endorsed by an administration which should have more sense.

The businessmen of the next generation are represented in the ranks of the boys of today, but they are not being trained in the eight-hour class. Talk to any one of the 1,000,000 merchants and manufacturers, who are carrying on the commercial enterprises of the nation, and you will find that every last one of them possessed an ambition in early life to do a little more than he was paid for doing.

In this way he made himself a necessity to his employer, and without seeking it responsibility came to him and before he knew it he was working for himself.

Many of these men, as well as many who have gone to the front in public life, started at the very foot of the ladder, and the farmer boy, sometimes discouraged with his work, should remember that the farm has always supplied its full quota.

Here is a little story of the late President McKinley, told by Henry A. Tice, an old Janesville boy, now superintendent of the western division of the Atchafalpa, Topeka & Santa Fe railroad.

During the president's second term he went through to the coast with a party of congressmen, and one cold morning in November while the train stood on a siding in western Kansas, Secretary John Hay, who was a member of his cabinet, found the president on the rear platform evidently very much amused at something he had seen.

The secretary said to him, "You seem very much pleased, Mr. President; what are you laughing at?"

The president turned with a smile and said, "I have been watching that barefooted boy over there, as he got up the cow from the frosty grass, and stood on the warm soil which had been her bed, to warm his feet, and it carried me back to my boyhood days on the old farm, where many a frosty morning I warmed my feet in the same way."

Then the secretary said, "Did you use to do that? Why, I use to do the same thing myself, and now I am going through the car and see how many men there are who have had the same experience."

Presently he returned and reported that every last man knew all about it, and the platform was soon crowded with farmers' boys of the last generation, all interested in the boy with cold feet.

These men had never been time-servers, and when called to serve the people in positions of honor and responsibility, they were equal to the occasion. Thus it is in every department where heart controls the brain and directs effort.

The hardest taskmaster that any successful man has to deal with is himself. When ambition and energy are exhausted, duty takes a hand at the helm and holds him steady on his course.

While the routine of business ceases when the door closes at 5 o'clock the long hours of the night are frequently filled with planning, or disturbed by care and anxiety, until the man is overtaken whose work is marked out for him, and who is care-free.

This is a good old world to live in, and the days will be brighter for everybody when universal ambition prompts all classes of toilers to loyal and faithful service.

for members of his family, and his own letters and telegrams are offered in evidence.

Heart to Heart Talks.

By EDWIN A. NYE.

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IF YOU WERE SANTA CLAUS.

What would you give to America if you could be the national Santa Claus? A magazine editor has asked this question and has received all sorts of answers from well known men and women.

For instance: Mrs. Schoof, president of the Mothers' Congress, gave a fine reply: "I would make it possible for every child to have a square deal all the time."

And Edwin Markham, author of "The Man With the Hoe," would give "a system organized by the state to provide work at living wages for all workless men and women."

Stephen Follows would present "an ideal American home for all." Mayor Whitlock thinks "economic liberty" the best gift. Governor Glenn of North Carolina regards a national temperance law as the best present.

Elizabeth S. Phillips would "rekindle love" on every hearthstone where the fires have gone out. And Julia Ward Howe if she were Santa Claus would give a more vigilant national conscience.

And Roy, Anna Shaw? I You can guess what she would put into the national stocking:

"So harmonize the letter and spirit of the constitution and Declaration of Independence" as to bring equal privileges, equal justice and "true freedom to every citizen without distinction of sex."

And so on.

What would be your Christmas gift to your country were you permitted to select it?

Think it over.

Suppose that you, like Aladdin, had a wonderful lamp which when you rubbed it on Christmas eve would bring to you whatsoever you wished: What would you select for America?

The square deal for children?

Work for the workless?

An ideal home for all?

Economic liberty?

A national temperance law?

Equal suffrage for all.

You see, a national Santa Claus would find it about as difficult to please all as does the children's Santa Claus.

And yet one gift might be suggested that would include all the other excellent presents, and more, much more.

And that would be—

The continued prevalence EVERY DAY OF THE CHRIST SPIRIT, the spirit of Christmas day.

Charmed Money

Pat Melton of Plymouth strolled into the office of Horace McElroy, the other day, with a woe-begone look on his face and said:

"Mr. McElroy, listen to what I'm going to tell you. 'This mornin' I started out for town with a basket of eggs in the back of me bigger for Father George, and as I was drivin' along the road I passed by a Gipsy camp, and a nothin' lookin' woman came out and said to me:

"'Good mornin', Mister Melton; atop a bit till I tell yore fortune.'"

"Well, a fortune have I, and no money to spend on such nonsense," I said.

"Oh, yez don't need any money," she said with a smile. 'Ye can just give me a dozen eggs out of the basket in the buggy there.'"

"That O! will not," said O! 'Them eggs are for me brist, Father George, and O! must be givin'.'"

"If ye happen to have a bit of money in your pocket, O! I'll charm it for ye and ye'll never be out of money," she said, and I won't charge ye a cent."

"O! happened to have a dollar and ninety-five cents, tied up in me red pocket handkerchief, and I handed it to her, all toled up, and she took it and bowed to it two or three times, and talked to it, and then 'put it back in me hand and said:

"'Now don't look at it for two hours, for it's charmed, and ye'll never be without money.'"

"So O! came on to town, and being a little thirsty stopped in at me friend Jones for a drink, and when O! came out old red handkerchief gave a clink and O! found, and then O! went out to me buggy and O! lost me money and told eggs, without havin' no fortune told."

Jack London's Latest Novel

Uncle Remus's "The Home Magazine" makes the important announcement that it has secured the serial rights of Jack London's latest novel, "Martin Eden." It will begin in the February issue of that popular magazine, which was founded by Joel Chandler Harris, and is edited by Julian Harris and Don Marquis.

The critics who have read "Martin Eden" state that it is gripping, vivid and picturesque, and is such a story as only Jack London could write. The editors of Uncle Remus's "The Home Magazine" believe it to be a story that every man and woman should read, as it contains a bit of lesson, and in its arrangement of false ideals, is both noble and notable.

Martin Eden, the character who is really the book, is so keenly true that he seems lived with life. He is intense, big in his ideas and ideals, and without faltering, yet unselfishly, he strives ceaselessly and courageously for the genuinely best in life.

"It is just the story that should be printed serially," state the editors of Uncle Remus's "The Home Magazine," for there is much you will want to learn more about, and understand better before going on, and the thus between each issue of the magazine gives the reader ample opportunity.

Send 50 cents in stamps to the Sunny South Publishing company, and they will send you Uncle Remus's "The Home Magazine" eight months.



SOFA STUFFED WITH COUNTERFEIT MONEY AND BONDS.

An interesting discovery by the United States secret service men was a sofa stuffed with counterfeit money and bonds, just discovered and confiscated while enroute at New Orleans. No details of the case are given out owing to the fact that the secret service men are busily engaged in trying to identify the sender and receiver. This has gone down as one of the most unique counterfeiting and smuggling attempts in the history of the New Orleans secret service department.

beginning with the February issue which contains the first instalment of "Martin Eden."

Remedy Can Be Found. Lowell: For artificial evils, for evils that spring from evil of thought, thought must find a remedy somewhere.

Fruit for Health. As a health restorative, a French medical expert recommends a ton or fifteen days' diet of fruit alone, twice a year. From Small Beginnings. Great floods have flown from little sources.—Shakespeare.

Common Fault. Some people don't know much, and even that they can't keep to themselves.

Buy It In Janesville.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

MILLY ZARA—New York's famous Patent and Charvovant. Just returned from Europe where she has met with remarkable success in the foreboding of coming events. This wonderful woman can tell you all about your business and love affairs, in fact, anything you would like to know. Special offer—bring this ad and one and title, Zara will give you a \$1 reading, or for five a \$2 full life reading. This offer is good for a few days. You will find her at Interurban Hotel, opposite 17, O. daily from 10 a. m. to 10 p. m., including Sundays. Ladies' entrance.

WANTED—2 ladies and 2 men, middle age, take orders, deliver and collect; steady work; good pay. Call Monday evening or Tuesday before noon. C. L. Warner, Park hotel.

WANTED—Young lady as Cashier and bookkeeper in down town retail store. Apply in writing. "C. D." care Gazette.

FOR SALE at a bargain. Base burner in fine condition. Call new phone 618 white, or H. L. McNamara.

REPAIRING
Watch cleaning.....\$1.00
Watch main spring.....\$1.00
Warranted for one year. All other repairing equally as low in price. Satisfaction guaranteed by
PYPER'S
119 W. Milwaukee St.

J.M. BOSTWICK & SONS.
It's Rather Confusing
In the light of so many advertisements about great price reductions on Cloaks and Suits, **it's rather confusing**, and one hardly knows just where to turn. Take our word for it, which we consider as good as our bond, the best **Bargains** await you at The Big Store.
Since we made such **radical price reductions** on all of our very best **Cloaks** and **Suits** many women have become interested, knowing that the best garments go first.
You can positively do no better than to visit our **Garment Department** and learn just what we are doing.
We claim and are proving it to a large army of buyers each season that **long experience** in the business is surely a **great advantage** to any merchant. We know the kind of ready-to-wear Garments to let alone, merely gotten up to look attractive but do not stand the wear. **Many old reliable manufacturers** sell to us **only** in Janesville; garments that competitors would be glad to get, but the makers are satisfied to sell us alone, owing to the business we give them. The manufacturers we refer to are the **best in this country**. **Do not deceive yourself** into thinking that you can do as well elsewhere, but call here **first**, or anyway **before** you buy, and **use your own hard judgment**. We keep the quality up and **quality** in a **Cloak** or **Suit** is first consideration.
ONE-HALF PRICE
150 choice Cloaks, all colored, for women, misses and children, late styles, we offer at **One Half Price**.
165 Cloaks, about half of them our very best **black garments**, the others our choicest colored cloaks, all go at **One-Third Off**.
55 Suits, the very best we have, all go at **One Third Off**.
Fur Coats and Small Furs
All go at **One-Fourth Off**.
Everything marked in plain figures, look at the **former price**, deduct one-fourth, one-third or one-half as the case may be, and you have the **present price**. You cannot get wise without looking, and we will be glad to show you through our stock. No feeling about it if you do not buy.
TAKE NOTICE
All ads. may look alike to you, but we can convince you that our **Bar** gains are the Best.

THE CHURCHES

Mary Kimball mission—112 South Jackson street. Sunday school at 2 p. m.; preaching at 7:45 p. m. Meetings Wednesday and Friday evenings. Everybody welcome.

New Sweden Lutheran church—Corner West Bluff and Madison streets. Wilford A. Johnson, pastor. Norwegian services at 10:30 a. m.; Sunday school at 12 m.; business meeting at 3 p. m., to which all voting members are earnestly requested to be present.

Presbyterian church—Rev. J. W. Laughlin, pastor. Morning worship at 10:30; evening worship at 7 o'clock. Morning sermon subject—"Fading Stock." In the evening the pastor will begin a series of sermons on "Some Strange Stories in the Early Life of a Primitive People." The sermon for this evening will be "The Story of a Man Driven from His Place of Duty by the Threat of a Woman." The Endeavor society will meet at 6 o'clock and will be conducted by Glenn Howard. The pastor's Bible class will meet on Thursday evening at the church.

Christ church—The Rev. John McKinney, pastor. 1st Sunday after Epiphany. Holy communion, 8 a. m.; morning prayer and sermon, 10:30 a. m.; Sunday school, 12 m.; evening prayer and sermon, 7 p. m. Friday, evening prayer and address, 7 o'clock. Meetings: Monday, daughters of the King, with Mrs. Wm. Ringer, at 2:30 p. m. Tuesday, Christ Church guild, in parish house, at 2 p. m. Wednesday, St. Agnes' guild, with Mrs. F. P. Stevens, at 2:30 p. m.

Church of the United Brethren in Christ—Cor. Milton and Prospect Aves. L. A. McIntyre, pastor. Bible school, 10 a. m.; preaching services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Junior C. Endeavor, 3 p. m. The pastor will begin on Sunday evening a series of sermons on "The Wonderful Book of Revelation." This will give an opportunity for all who desire to get a better understanding of this last message to the church. All are welcome to any of above services.

St. Mary's Roman Catholic church—First mass, 8:30 a. m.; second mass, 10:30 a. m.; vespers and benediction, 7:30 p. m. Rev. Wm. A. Goebel, pastor.

St. Patrick's Roman Catholic church—Corner of Cherry and Holmes streets. Dean E. E. Kelly, pastor; Rev. James J. McGinnis, assistant pastor. Residence at 155 Cherry street.

DEFENSE OF THORNTON HAINS CLOSES CASE

Allenists Give Conflicting Views of the Captain's Sanity When He Slew Anna.

Flushing, N. Y., Jan. 9.—The defense in the trial of Thornton J. Hains as a principal in the killing of William E. Anna, came to a close yesterday afternoon and before court adjourned Justice Crane announced to the jurors that they would undoubtedly be able to conclude their labors about the middle of next week.

A full day's session of the court was held today and Prosecutor Darrin expected to get in all the rebuttal testimony by nightfall. The defense will run up Monday and Tuesday the state will make its plan for conviction on the evidence adduced. After the judge's charge on Wednesday morning the jury will retire.

The defense placed two Allenists on the witness stand yesterday—Dr. L. S. Manson and Dr. L. Pierce Clark—to tell the jury that Capt. Hains suffered from impulsive insanity when he shot Anna. Their cross-examination was not calculated to aid the defense, both medical experts disagreeing in some main essentials of their testimony.

Dr. Manson was recalled to the stand to qualify a statement made earlier in the day that Capt. Hains, suffering from manic depressive insanity from the time of his wife's confinement, could not recognize his enemy and would not know his enemy's name. He qualified this and stated that when he heard the name "Anna" he was seized with impulsive insanity which reached its climax when the shooting was ended. During the period, the Allenist said, Capt. Hains knew his victim. Dr. Clark, after testifying at some length, and when asked about certain authorities, stated that there were no authorities from his point of view on insanity and that he did not claim to be an authority.

FEARS ANNEXATION OF CANADA.

London Paper Doesn't Want American Reciprocity Treaty.

London, Jan. 9.—American affairs are given a great deal of prominence in this morning's newspapers, and especial attention is paid to the conflict between President Roosevelt and congress.

The Daily Mail in a spirited editorial under the caption "America's Bid for Canada," says it is convinced if a treaty of reciprocity is concluded between Canada and the United States it will involve nothing less than the gradual absorption of Canada by the United States and "and all of the noble dreams and aspirations in which the largest minds of our race have indulged." The newspaper appeals to Canadian patriots to have further patience. It says the period of suspense is fast drawing to a close and that the imposing structure of free trade is receiving a succession of shocks that will soon leave the way clear for a closer commercial union of the colonies with the mother country.

SAVED FROM ELECTRIC CHAIR.

Brooklyn Man Escapes Death by Commission of Woman.

New York, Jan. 9.—The commission of Marie Ferrillo that she committed perjury because of hatred toward the man who had killed her husband, yesterday saved Nicola Zarconi of Brooklyn from electrocution after he had been sentenced to receive such a death next week. Mrs. Ferrillo told the police that her husband was the aggressor in the quarrel with Zarconi. Zarconi was brought down from the death house at Sing Sing prison and his sentence changed to imprisonment for not more than ten years.

RETURNING FROM ISTHMUS.

Wireless Tells of Congressmen on Their Way Home.

On Board Steamer Advance at San Jan. 9. (By United Wireless).—A party of congressmen returning to New York from a visit to the Isthmus of Panama are on board the Advance.

Two guides who accompanied Miss Peck in her recent ascent to Mount Huascarán are also passengers. They are G. Zumtengwelder and H. Tangwald of Zermatt, Switzerland. Mr. Tangwald was so badly bitten from climbing the mountain that his left hand, part of his right hand and his right foot were amputated.

AFGHAN ARMY INVADERS PERSIA.

Tehran, Jan. 9.—There is a persistent rumor in circulation here to the effect that 6,000 Afghans with six guns have crossed the Solistan frontier into Persia. The Solistan frontier is at the junction where eastern Persia and southwestern Afghanistan meet.

FATAL TENEMENT HOUSE FIRE.

New York, Jan. 9.—Two men and a boy were killed, another person was probably fatally burned and half a hundred others had narrow escapes last night when fire swept through a five-story tenement house at 606 Ninth avenue.

COURTHOUSE SOLD FOR TWO DOLLARS.

Kankakee, Ill., Jan. 9.—The Kankakee county courthouse, built in 1871, was sold at auction yesterday for two dollars to a local contractor. It will be replaced by a \$150,000 building.

DATES FOR THE CONFEDERATE VETERANS.

Memphis, Tenn., Jan. 9.—By a unanimous vote the executive committee having in charge arrangements for this year's Confederate reunion yesterday decided on June 1, 2 and 3.

FROM SIBERIAN FISHERIES.

Two thousand tons of fish are sent out of Siberia every year.

SEE THE "ALAKAZAN"

Kansas Committee Witnesses Old Prison Punishment.

EXHIBITED BY MISS BARNARD

Laughter of Investigators Arouses Wrath of Oklahoma Woman—Ex-Convicts Tell Stories of Cruelties Practiced in the Penitentiary.

Leavenworth, Kan., Jan. 9.—The committee investigating the state penitentiary at Lansing was shown yesterday afternoon, just how the old prison punishment called the "Alakazan degree" was inflicted. The committee laughed and was rebuked for its levity.

A number of ex-convicts, brought in by Miss Kate Barnard, testified concerning the punishments of the prison. Miss Barnard's efforts were directed at substantiating her charges of cruelty on the part of the prison officers.

It was during the testimony of Joe Rumsell that Miss Barnard put on the demonstration of the "alakazan." "I insist that Warden Haskell and Deputy Warden Dobson lie on their stomachs on this table for an hour," exclaimed Miss Barnard.

The committee glanced at the rotund figure of the officers and broke into a hearty laugh, thereby incurring the displeasure of Miss Barnard.

"Laughing!" ejaculated the little woman. "You Kansas are a disgrace to your state by your laughter. I am a native Kansan and I am heartily ashamed of you all."

Miss Barnard turned to Deputy Warden Dobson.

"Will you be chained down on your stomach?" she inquired.

"You will have to furnish your own subjects for this demonstration," was the reply.

Ex-Convicts Tell of It.

Miss Barnard agreed to this, and after a resolution was passed by the committee to allow the illustration of the punishment, she brought in Dr. G. S. Ashby, an ex-convict. The appliances were produced and as he was being chained hand and foot and laid on his abdomen by the chairman. Almost immediately at the solicitation of Miss Barnard, who expressed fear for his health, he was released and took the witness stand.

Ashby swore that he had been subjected to the "alakazan" while in prison and claimed that he had suffered severe injury from it. He was punished for striking a fellow convict on the head with a brick because he had been betrayed in an effort to smuggle out a letter. He stated that he got most of his punishment while in the prison under the administration of Warden Jewett.

Rumsell Gives Testimony.

Joseph Rumsell, committed to the prison for a 25-year term for manslaughter, testified that he had punished prisoners under the direction of Deputy Warden Dobson. He said that he had frequently beaten prisoners with a hose. He said Warden Haskell had stopped the use of the "alakazan" degree.

Rumsell amused the committee with an account of the first administration of the "water cure" at which he had officiated, when two pitchers of water were poured into the mouth of Martin McGee.

"What was the effect?" he was asked.

"None at all. She just kept on talking."

Rumsell related the punishment of Robert Roe, who after an attempt to kill Warden Haskell with an iron plate wrenched from his cell was subdued by a stream from the fire hose. This, he said, was done by the warden personally, who refused to ask other officers to go into the infuriated man's cell.

GUNBOAT SCORPION IS BUSY IN RELIEF WORK

Establishes Surgical Station at Messina and Prepares for Arrival of Supply Ships.

Messina, Jan. 9.—The officers and crew of the United States gunboat Scorpion are doing excellent work in relieving the quake sufferers. Yesterday they established an Anglo-American station with Dr. George C. Rhoades, surgeon of the Scorpion, in charge. It is close to the ruins of the American consulate.

The station is formed of several large tents. It is the intention to continue the work largely to re-dressing the wounds of a considerable number of Italians who have been in America or who have relatives there. Those persons come to the attention of Dr. Rhoades through their seeking out the consulate for assistance or for sending word to their relatives in America for help. Most of the applicants desire permits to remain in Messina in order to recover personal property.

The military cordon around the city is complete. Hereafter no person will be allowed to enter without a pass from the authorities.

Washington, Jan. 9.—Commander Logan of the gunboat Scorpion is making a cruise with that vessel along the Calabrian coast, distributing stores and ascertaining opportunities for the employment of the supply ship Culgon and the tender Yankton, now in that vicinity. His headquarters remain at Messina.

Consul Crowninshield at Naples has reported that he has been unable to locate Mrs. E. J. W. Shippen and daughter Cathleen, for whom Senator Crane asked that inquiries be made; nor has he been able to locate Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Wallenstein.

Rome, Jan. 9.—A dispatch to the Giornale d'Italia from Cosenza says that a relief party, using automobiles which were loaded with food and medicines, arrived there yesterday in charge of Drs. M. Henao and Stanton, Americans. It being found impossible to continue the trip to Reggio, the party turned over the stores to the relief committee of the town of Cosenza.

Lisbon, Jan. 9.—Slight earthquake shocks were felt yesterday at Rivera, 85 miles southeast of Lisbon.

GETS AFTER WHISKY LOBBY.

Resolution in Tennessee House Asks That It Be Investigated.

Nashville, Tenn., Jan. 9.—The session of the hour in legislative circles was the resolution introduced yesterday by representatives in the house seeking an investigation of the "whisky lobby" and alleged attempts to defeat temperance measures.

There came two prohibition bills, one signed by 67 and the other by 65 members, which inures their passage through the lower house and a sufficient number of votes to pass either measure over a veto should the governor disapprove them.

The senate and house received special messages from the governor asking that no action be taken on the temperance question until he can prepare and transmit a special message on the subject not later than next Thursday.

ARRESTED FOR EMBEZZLEMENT.

Deputy Postmaster Who Said He Was Robbed Is Accused.

Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., Jan. 9.—Deputy Postmaster Frank L. Higgins was arrested yesterday on a charge of embezzlement. The arrest is the outgrowth of an alleged robbery of which Higgins reported himself the victim December 14. It was stated at that time that three foreigners assaulted the deputy postmaster with a sand bag while he was alone in the post office making out his payroll for the previous evening, and that his assistants escaped with \$2,500 of post office funds.

REFORM SCHOOL HEAD QUILTS.

Chicago, Jan. 9.—Two serious uprisings within the last two weeks in the state school for delinquent boys at St. Charles, Ill., the escape of seven boys during holiday week, and general lack of discipline, in the institution led the board of trustees to pay a visit to the school yesterday. As a result Superintendent Charles Hart's connection with the institution was terminated. Fred Ward of Chicago, formerly assistant at the school, will be in charge until a new superintendent is chosen by the trustees.

KANSAS PROFESSOR PROF.

Lawrence, Kan., Jan. 9.—Prof. Frank O. Marvin of the University of Kansas, received word last night that he had been elected president of the Theta Xi, an honorary scientific fraternity now holding a national convention at Baltimore. Prof. Marvin has been connected with the university here for 30 years.

MINISTER GUILTY OF MANSLAUGHTER.

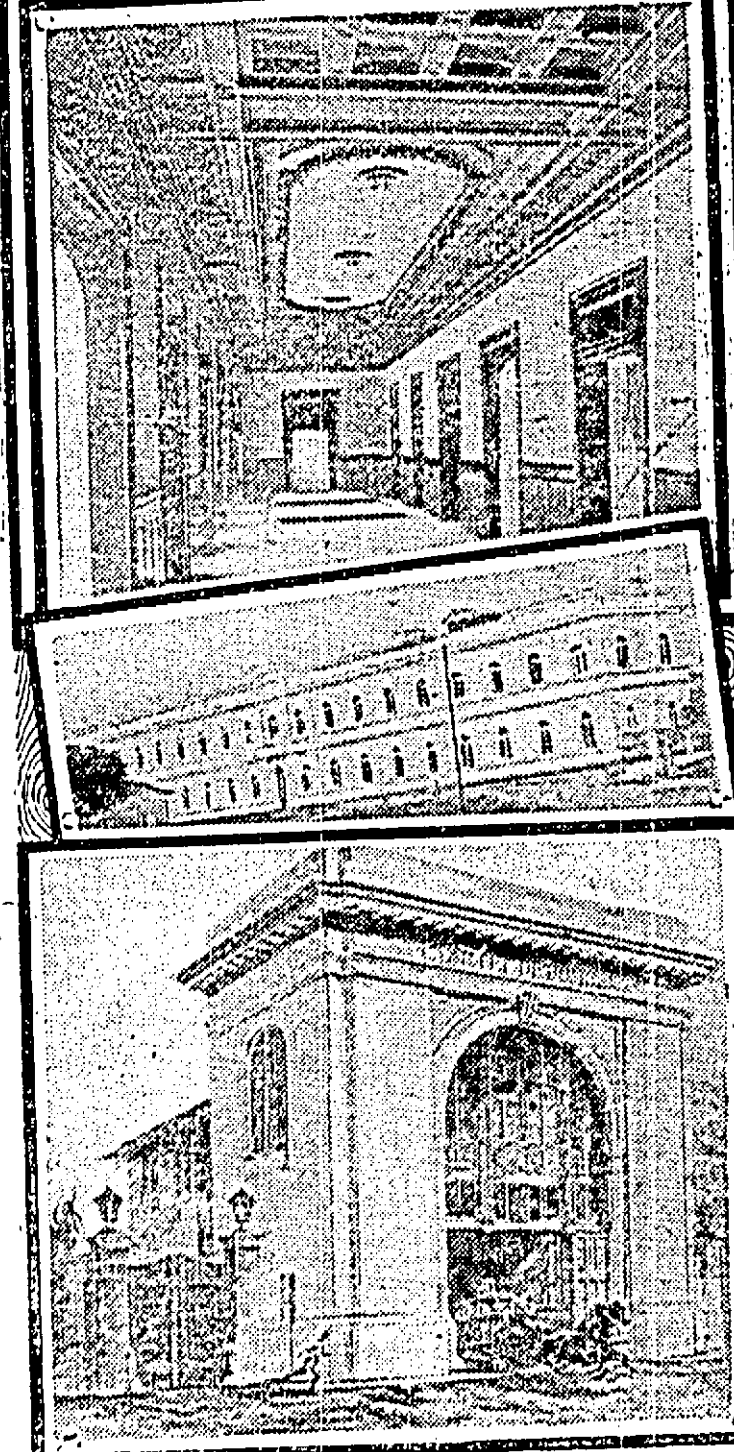
Mexico, Mo., Jan. 9.—The jury in the case of Rev. Clyde Gow last night found Gow guilty of manslaughter in the second degree and sentenced him to four years' imprisonment. He was indicted jointly with Dr. W. A. Heruphill for the death of Miss Elizabeth Glendon, a Lincoln county school teacher.

KILL EACH OTHER IN DUEL.

Oklahoma City, Okla., Jan. 9.—George Johnson and Samuel Howard, prominent citizens of Elk City, fought a duel with pistols in the street here yesterday, as a result of which each killed the other. The men had been friends and the cause of the tragedy is not known.

SEEDS OF HAPPINESS.

We do not know how cheap the seeds of happiness are, or we should scatter them oftener.—Lowell.



THE NEW CUBA. Havana, thoroughly remodeled. Havana's new Senate Chamber, Havana's new Fire Department Headquarters now being built. Hospital at Cienfuegos.

On January 28 Uncle Sam turns over to the people of Cuba the reins of government. With them rests the decision of the republic. Those closest to the people, the conditions of the island, including Governor Magón and such a well known authority as the Hon. John Barrett of the international bureau of American republics, think that the Cubans realize the importance of a conservative and substantial government and are determined to succeed in this second trial. They know full well that a slip on their part will mean the taking out of their hands entirely the government of this island republic. They know that should the laws passed by the next congress be contrary to the best judgment of Uncle Sam or should any revision of Uncle Sam's attitude appear, which is a possibility, they will likely be the losers and that the United States will step in and take over the government.

The new regime with President Jose Miguel Gomez as its head is planning to carry out fundamental ideas instilled into them by Governor Magón. They anticipate carrying forward the municipal and national improvements which Governor Magón has inaugurated. Whether or not they will succeed time alone will tell.

The senate chamber in Havana has been thoroughly remodeled. It is now trimmed in cedar, handsomely carved. Electric lights are placed in the center panels and a lamp will also be placed in each of the square sunken panels. The raised platform at the upper end of the room is duplicated at the lower end and altogether will present a very attractive appearance.

Havana up to the present time has depended entirely for fire protection upon a volunteer band of firemen, just as do many small towns in the United States. This is entirely inadequate to the necessities of the city and under Governor Magón's direction a fine structure has been erected for the fire department headquarters. This will be fitted out with the best of apparatus and the men will be paid \$50 a month and will devote all of their time to the service. The new building is now being erected on Zúñiga street.

Another improvement is a magnificent hospital at Cienfuegos. This was erected at a cost of \$500,000 and is thoroughly up to date in every particular.

Cienfuegos is receiving considerable attention and is prospering as never before.

According to the bureau of statistics of the department of finance, 31,227 immigrants arrived in the republic during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1908. Of this the vast majority were Spanish, but 1,328 people arrived from the United States to take permanent abode in the islands; 1,400 came from England and the Central and South American countries furnished many more.

The influx of 31,227 immigrants to the island of Cuba can scarcely be appreciated. The United States thinks it is considerably overburdened when it accepts 1,200,000 immigrants during the year, but this is only about one immigrant per year to every three square miles in the United States. While 31,000 immigrants to Cuba means one immigrant to approximately every square mile in the island republic, or on an area basis, Cuba has three times as great an immigration to absorb and take care of as does the United States.

One of the improvements just being established is a new wireless station located at a point to be known as El Polvorin, now known as Cuartel de Agramonte. This station is equipped with the latest developments in wireless telegraphy and will easily communicate with the United States and with South America and thus put Cuba in a much better commercial position than at present. There is no question but that Cuba is one of the coming agricultural districts of the world. Whether or not it will remain under Cuban direction or that of Uncle Sam remains to be seen.

JERSEY LILY

is a flour that has suited one-fifth of all the housewives in this vicinity for 25 years. This is proof of unvarying quality and perfect satisfaction. You can try a sack any time at our risk. All grocers will tell you how to do it. JENNISON BROS.

ROOSEVELT REBUKED: HIS RECENT MESSAGE

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action and punishment those guilty of committing fraud and other violations of the public trust. The law of the president could modify or change either the meaning of the language used by the president or its interpretation by the people and press of the country, "under which interpretation the honor and integrity of congress has been assailed and stands impeached."

He referred to the further utterance of the president regarding members of congress being afraid to be investigated, and said that "to thus impugn the motives of the members of the legislative branch of our government, violates not only the constitutional prerogatives of congress but is calculated to arouse a popular prejudice against all branches of our government more injurious to its continued success than anything that has occurred in the history of the republic."

"If," he added, "there was no intention to thus impugn the motives of congress, then it was extremely fortunate that he gave to the people of our country the opportunity to say that that was the intention and that such language would not have been used by the head of the executive branch of the government without justification."

"He would prove," he said, "that the president's utterances were unfounded," but he added, "when proven unfounded it is unfortunate that there will still linger in the minds of many, as the result of this charge, the suspicion that there does not exist among those entrusted with the duties and responsibilities of government that degree of faithfulness to duty and unselfish patriotism in all branches of the service."

Taking up the provision enacted which restricted the operations of the agents of the secret service division of the treasury department, Mr.

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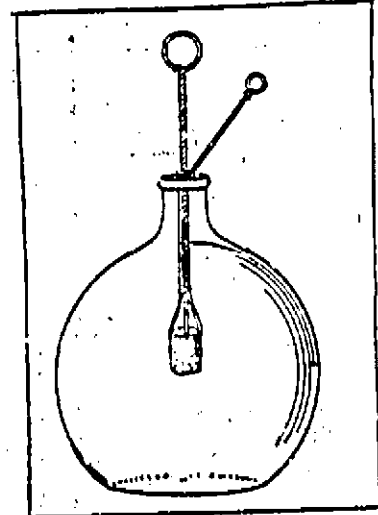
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Some Singing, Some Numbers,
Lots of Fun, and Two New
Spicy Burlettas.
"O PIFFEL BUT IT'S HOT."

Science and Invention

FOR EXTRACTING CORKS

Device Retrieves Stoppers Which Have Been Pugged Into Bottles.

Half of it happens that the lower half of the bottle cork slips into the body of the bottle and hinders about untidily. Usually there is nothing to do but to use a cork puller. But the cork puller is a cumbersome device. An Ohio man has come to the rescue, however, with a device which extracts corks from bottles with ease and dispatch. This consists of an interlocking screw, with one end ter-



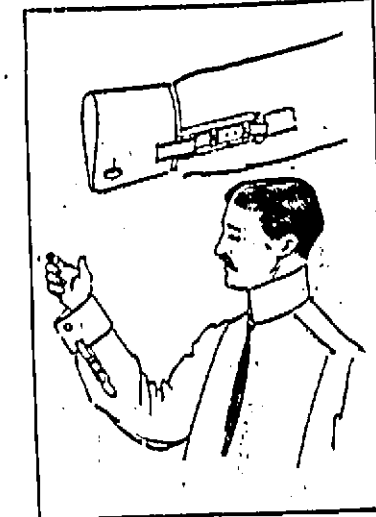
USEFUL IN FACTORIES.

minating in a handle and the other end provided with a spring arm which is attached to a small screw. Around the screw is a flexible member, which when pushed toward the corks of the former compresses them. The apparatus is thrust, into a bottle, the screw placed over the cork and pressed together so they hold it firmly. It can then be drawn out with ease. Much an extractor is of great convenience in factories where old bottles are used.

NOVEL CUFF-HOLDER

Quickly and Neatly Adjusted by the Wearer.

Saving to small things makes folk rich. So the millinery art, and the African artist who designed the cuff-holder here described was a friend of the poor, for he has enabled them to save on their laundry bills. This device consists of a strip of metal doubled and with a clip at the free end. The metal is slipped through the buttonhole of the cuff and two loops are passed over it. One loop compresses the end of the cuff and is attached and the other is placed on the wearer's shirt sleeve. When the cuff is pulled on and the cuff holder is reversed and the clean end, which has been protected by the cuff sleeve, can be turned out, thus getting as much wear out of one pair of cuffs as two.



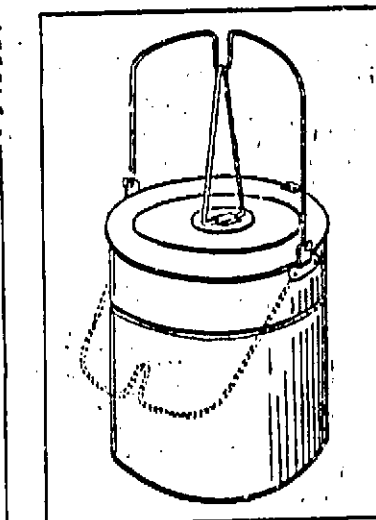
PULL ON AND OFF EASILY.

would ordinarily get from two pairs. By this device, cuffs may be put on and off and adjusted with ease and rapidity and there is no breaking of finger nails by buttoning and adjusting them.

CAN'T LOSE THE LID

New Dinner Pail Has Top That Is Impossible to Lose.

The fastness of the dinner pail is not appreciated by most people. To hundreds of thousands, however, it is a life



WHOLE TOP OPENS FREELY.

topic. The dinner pail is the laboring man's lunch container and its contents are usually more wholesome than the food at the regular lunch counter, too. It was a wise New York man, therefore, who devised a means by which the lid of the dinner pail cannot be lost. In this device the handle of the pail is bent into a loop and a string is attached to the lid, which is hinged at one side. The whole top of the pail may thus be opened freely to permit of the filling or emptying of the receptacle, and it will always be at hand when wanted. It is an uncommon thing for a workman to lose the lid to his pail and as this means the expense of a new dinner pail, it is no joke.

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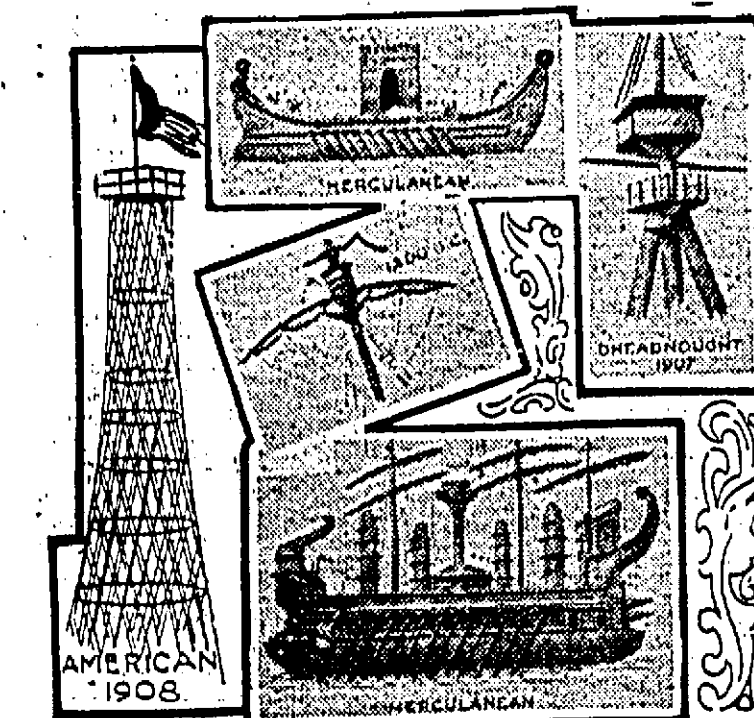
Belt Attachment Keeps Dress From Dragging on Pavements.

Only a woman knows how tiresome it is to lift her skirt and trudge along the street or traverse the muddy crossings. Under ordinary circumstances it is a nuisance, but when the woman has a long, unmanageable skirt, the annoyance is increased. A Pennsylvania man has come to the rescue of his sisters by inventing a skirt holder which answers every purpose and leaves the hands free.



BOTH HANDS ARE FREE.

This holder consists of an elastic strap with a hook at one end and a pile of crimping fingers at the other. The hook is fastened to the belt and the fingers are fastened to the skirt, which can be raised to any height. The arrangement is in every way more comfortable than the old way of holding the skirt by hand and makes walking much easier. A belt can be made to wear with this holder so that it can be used with gloves that have no holes in their own, such as evening gloves, etc.



THE NEW FIGHTING TOP FOR UNITED STATES BATTLESHIPS.

The latest development in naval warfare is the "hazyack" fighting top of our newest ships. This is an American invention pure and simple and yet it is a development to the highest perfection of the fighting top which appeared on the old Italian war vessels when the first naval battle was fought.

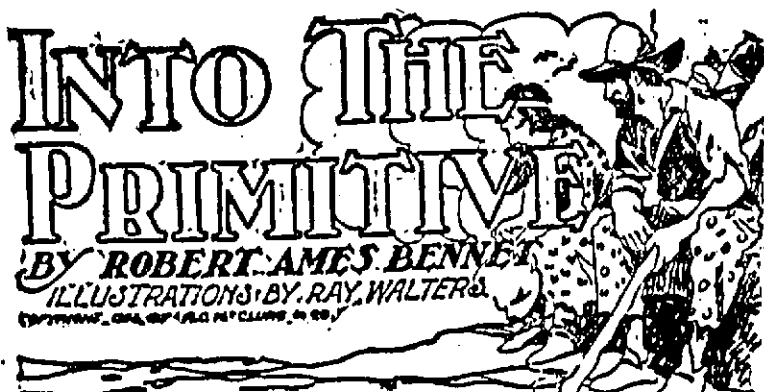
The new fighting top, popularly known as the "hazyack," has great value in the fact that she has greatly entirely through it and still not materially weaken the frame work of steel ribbons. The only battleship now equipped by the "Idaho," although the "North Dakota" and all future battleships will have this unique fighting top.

Back in the time of Hercules the acedol fighting top was really a diminutive form, from which the slingers could better gulf a yantage point on

their adversary. It was substantially built and very effective. Latter on this was simplified to a station for one man on top of the masthead, from which he could use his slinger to advantage and also direct the movements of the ship. From this it passed on through varying stages of perfection to the type used in the English navy on their great Dreadnought.

That was the highest point attained prior to the invention of the "hazyack" by the Americans. On ships built after the "Idaho," the battleship taken from an old drawing we see no less than six fighting tops from which to gain the desired height.

It is claimed that the invention of the "hazyack" has greatly interested the British government and that its warships of the future will be similarly fitted out.



Blake took his head. "No; I'll wait today, and work rebuilding the barracks to-night. Toward morning I might build up the fire, and take a nap."

He caught up the flag and its now staff, and swung away through the cleft.

He returned much sooner than Miss Leslie expected, and at once began to throw up a small lean-to of bamboo over a ledge at the cliff foot, behind the jagged. The girl thought he was making himself a hut, in place of the canopy under which he had slept before the storm, which, like Winthrop's, had been carried away. But when he stopped work, he leaped to the ground and came to do to complete her new house had to dry some leaves.

"But I thought it was for yourself!" she protested. "I will sleep inside the tree."

"Don't talk like that!" he rejoined—"not till it's dried out!"

She glanced at his face, and replied, without a moment's hesitancy. "Very well. I will do what you think best."

"That's good," he said, and went at once to the good of his much needed sleep.

He awoke just soon enough before dark to see the results of her hard day's labor. All the provisions stored in the tree had been brought out to dry; and a great stack of fuel, ready for burning, was piled up against the bamboo; while all about the tree the rubbish had been neatly gathered together in heaps. Blake looked his ad-

mirator for her industry. But then his forehead wrinkled.

"You oughtn't to've done so much," he admonished.

"I'll show you I can tote fair!" she rejoined. During the afternoon she had recalled to mind that odd expression of a southern girl whom, and had been waiting her opportunity to band him with it.

He stared at her open-eyed, and laughed.

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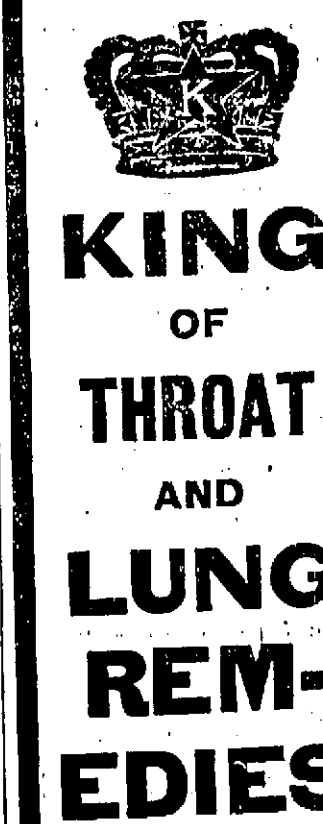
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KANG ACCUSES YUAN OF KILLING EMPEROR

Chinese Reformer Says Ousted Premier Was Dismissed Because He Slew Oriental Monarch.

Peking, Straits Settlement, Jan. 9.—In an interview here yesterday Kang Yu Wei, the well-known Chinese reformer, who was expelled from Peking after the coup d'etat of 1898, declared that Yuan Shi Kai had been dismissed from his high position as member of the grand council of the Chinese empire because he was instrumental in the death of the late emperor and that he should be placed on trial for his connection in this matter.

The result of this trial will convince foreigners that Yuan Shi Kai instigated the murder of the late emperor, Kang Yu Wei declared. "His dismissal will work for the good of the constitutional party; the constitution will no longer be delayed."

Continuing, Kang Yu Wei said: "I opposed foreign intervention in favor of Yuan Shi Kai; the matter is one for China to settle alone."

"The Regent, Prince Chun, controls the army and is introducing reforms. Since his expulsion from Peking ten years ago Kang Yu Wei has been instrumental in directing the reform movement in the empire. He is at present living in concealment in Peking, and very few people are able to see him. It is necessary to be veiled for friends before access to him can be obtained."

While it is impossible to obtain confirmation of the expectation that Kang Yu Wei will now return to Peking, it was intimated in certain quarters yesterday that such a course was within the range of possibilities.

Peking, Jan. 9.—Pang Shao Yi, who is at present in Washington on a special diplomatic mission from the Chinese government, has been recalled to Peking. He will come back via Europe, leaving Washington immediately.

London, Jan. 9.—In a dispatch from Tokyo the correspondent of the Daily Telegraph says: "There is a growing belief here that the prompt conclusion of the debate between the Japanese and the United States upon Yuan Shi Kai's scheme for an American-Chinese alliance, which would have been anti-Japanese."

Milwaukee Dies of Bullet Wound. Chicago, Jan. 9.—A man who staggered into the private garage of Edward J. Wink on Oakdale avenue Wednesday night and was removed to the Alexian Brothers' hospital, died there yesterday afternoon after he had been identified by his wife as Arthur H. Campbell, formerly a vice manufacturer in Milwaukee, Wis. An autopsy performed by Coroner's Physician Reinhardt revealed that Campbell's death was due to a self-inflicted bullet wound.

Killed by His Brother-in-Law. Cairo, Ill., Jan. 9.—Thomas Blay of Mount City, Ill., was shot and killed by his brother-in-law, John McIntire, at Illinois, Mo., yesterday. The killing took place in the depot at Illinois.

IT IS FEELY VERSUS HARDING. Contest for Iowa Speakership Narrows Down to Two.

Des Moines, Ia., Jan. 9.—All but two candidates for the speakership of the house of representatives have withdrawn, and now Guy Feely of Blackhawk opposes W. L. Harding of Woodbury county.

There is a hot fight for chairmanship of Judiciary. It is said that the pledge of Feely to Sullivan of Polk to make him chairman if elected speaker would be withdrawn. It is supposed that if there is a consolidation of the majority faction candidates on Feely, Len of Emmott, who has the largest number of votes of any of the candidates, will be made chairman of Judiciary.

Verence the simple, the prosaic, the natural, the real; and demand of every common thing of life, whether it be your body or your money, or your daily experience, that it shall bloom into fine results in your own soul, and into fine results in the world.—Phillips Brooks.

Resentful of Rebuke. No man is fit to be a reformer or leader of men who cannot give and take plain speech on the subject nearest to his heart without losing his temper.—Christian Register.

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